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868 Brentwood Lane
Watertown, WI 53094-6002

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I find the faxes that NAR sends me on continuous education classes most helpful in my business.

Please reconsider the established business relationship exception rule. Again, thank you in advance.

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